

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: CHARLES T. FORCE ET AL
 SERIAL NO.: 10/699,639

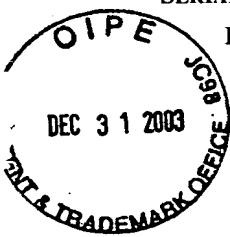
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FOR: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ENABLING
 USE OF LOW POWER SATELLITES, SUCH AS C-
 BAND, TO BROADCAST TO MOBILE AND NON-
 DIRECTIONAL RECEIVERS, AND SIGNAL
 DESIGN THEREFOR

GROUP ART UNIT: unassigned

EXAMINER: unassigned

ATTY. REFERENCE: FORC3001/BEU



COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.
 No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

| Fee Basis | Number of Claims After Amendment | Highest Number Previously Paid For | Extra Claims | Small Entity | Full Fee |
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| Total Claims | - | ¹ = | ³ | $\times \$ 9 =$ | $\times \$ 18 =$ |
| Independent Claims | - | ² = | ³ | $\times \$ 43 =$ | $\times \$ 86 =$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim | | | | $+ \$145 =$ | $+ \$290 =$ |
| | | | TOTAL | | |

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- Please charge my Deposit Account Number 02-0200 in the amount of \$_____ . A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- A check in the amount of \$_____ is attached.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- Also enclosed is/are: 8 - SHEETS OF FORMAL DRAWINGS (FIGS. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7A, 7B, 7C)

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